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Paul Wick Teton County Planning Office 19 Main Ave S Choteau, MT 59422

Dear Paul:

As the Land Information Lead representing the MSDI theme leads for Structures/Addresses, Transportation and Administrative Boundaries, I strongly support Teton County's Next Generation 9-1-1 Data Standardization and their FY 2017 request for MLIA funding.

The 2016/2017 Montana Land Information Plan encourages data partners to apply for grant funds to assess, improve and maintain required NG9-1-1 data, including road centerlines, address points and jurisdictional boundaries, according to the NENA standards. Teton County's grant proposal meets this goal by standardizing structures, road centerlines and boundaries datasets, implementing new workflows that will aid in better maintaining the data, and providing county EMS personnel, other county departments, and the public access to the data.

The Montana State Library looks forward to working with Teton County and will integrate structures, road centerline and administrative boundaries data collected through this grant into the statewide Framework databases.

Sincerely,

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